## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

| JERAD MICHAEL ROSS,        | CASE NO. 7:16CV00222                |
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| Petitioner,                |                                     |
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| v. )                       | FINAL ORDER                         |
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| LESLIE J. FLEMING, WARDEN, | By: Norman K. Moon                  |
| WALLENS RIDE STATE PRISON, | Senior United States District Judge |
| Respondent.                |                                     |

In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **ADJUDGED** as follows:

- (1) The Respondent's motion to dismiss (ECF No. 12) is **GRANTED**;
- (2) This action is **STRICKEN** from the active docket of this court; and
- (3) Concluding that Ross has failed to make a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right as required by 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c), a certificate of appealability is **DENIED**.

The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order and the accompanying Memorandum Opinion to the parties.

**ENTER:** This \_\_\_\_\_ day of March, 2017.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE